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RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

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(X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2001, please consider the following remarks:

REMARKS

As a preliminary matter, with respect to the drawings, Applicant respectfully points the Examiner to the Application Transmittal which was filed with the application papers on May 19, 1999. The Transmittal states that the Application was filed with 12 sheets of formal drawings. FIG. 6 only was objected to by the Draftperson on June 26, 1999. FIGS. 1-5 and 7-14, at least, should therefore be acceptable as formal drawings.